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# "No Place Like Home"

This painting is one of 32 produced by homeless children in metropolitan St. Louis for National Homelessness Awareness Week in 1998. An 11-year-old girl, living in a shelter with her mother and six siblings, painted this interpretation of the theme "No Place Like Home."



The children's art project, supported by a coalition of more than 20 organizations, was implemented at four metropolitan St. Louis homeless shelters: Hope House, Christian Service Center, Salvation Army Community in Partnership, and Urban League Passage House. Further efforts to use the children's paintings to raise awareness of the problems of homeless families are being coordinated by Tom Gould, Missouri Association for Social Welfare; Arthur R. Williams, Cookingham Institute, University of Missouri at Kansas City; Phoebe D. Williams, School of Nursing, Kansas University Medical Center; Patricia Ferrell, Homeless Services Program, St. Louis County; and Joe Yancey, Missouri Department of Mental Health.



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